



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 6941***

LCO No. 4433



Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by:  
(HS)

***AN ACT CONCERNING STATE AGENCY INTERPRETER SERVICES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2015*) For purposes of this section,  
2 "state agency" has the same meaning as provided in section 1-91 of the  
3 general statutes and "interpreting" has the same meaning as provided  
4 in section 46a-33a of the general statutes. Any state agency that is  
5 unable to fulfill a request for interpreting services with its own  
6 interpreting staff shall first request such services from the Department  
7 of Rehabilitation Services before seeking such services elsewhere.  
8 Interpreting services provided by a state agency shall be in accordance  
9 with the provisions of section 46a-33a of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2015</i>	New section
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***Statement of Purpose:***

To require state agencies to seek interpreting services first through the Department of Rehabilitation Services if the agency does not have its own interpreting staff.

***[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]***